

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Victoria M. BELLOTTI et al.

Group Art Unit: 2145

Application No.: 09/683,532

Examiner: A. CHOUDHURY

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Docket No.: 110143

For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR INTEGRATING ELECTRONIC MAIL AND  
DISTRIBUTED NETWORKS INTO A WORKFLOW SYSTEM

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated November 19, 2007.

- The \$510.00 Appeal Fee (\$255.00 Small Entity) is being paid herewith.  
 The \$510.00 Appeal fee is not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application with no Board Decision on the merits).

The shortened statutory period having expired March 26, 2008, the mailing date of an Advisory Action in response to Applicants' January 18, 2008 Request for Reconsideration, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for one month.

The fees associated with this filing are being paid electronically with this filing. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 24-0037.

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